



Cawthorne's Endowed Primary School

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Weekly Newsletter

10th February 2025

### **Parents' Afternoon**

Parents' afternoon will be held on Thursday afternoon (13<sup>th</sup> February) Your allotted appointment times will be coming home with your child today. If you have not yet requested a time please contact us and we will try and slot you in.

### **Learn to Ride and Bikeability**

Please can you return the Bikeability and Learn to Ride consent forms ASAP if you have not already done so. This is in preparation of their visit during the week commencing 3<sup>rd</sup> March. Please let us know if your child will need to borrow a bike or helmet.

### **Mobile Library**

The Library van will next be visiting school on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February.

### **Friends Quiz**

Thank you to all who supported the annual quiz, there was a great turnout and we raised £347.50. A special thank you to all those who made hotpots and stews etc.

### **World Book Day**

The world book day will be held on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March. Your child has been given a £1 book token. This year we are having a story box competition. We are asking the children to make their own story box based on a favourite book - have a look on Google for some ideas. The boxes need to be brought into school on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March.

### **Clubs**

After school club costs runs from 3.30 until 4.30pm at a cost of £2.50 per session. This half terms clubs are:

Monday – Julia Donaldson Club with Mrs Townley

Tuesday – Year 6 Club with Mrs Hanigan. After school club available for non Year 6 if required.

Wednesday – Mindfulness Club with Mrs Unsworth

Thursday – Art Club with Mr Corbett

Friday – After school club if needed

Breakfast club is available each morning from 8.00am at a cost of £3.50 – please book in advance.

### **Lunch Clubs**

This half-term all children will be taking part in Handball on Wednesdays and Tennis on Fridays. Please could children wear or bring trainers with them on these days.

### **Half Term**

The school will be closed next week for Half-Term

**Forrest Schools**  
Wed Morning  
Reception Children

**Handball Club**  
Wednesday Lunchtime

**Swimming**  
Thur 13<sup>th</sup> February

**Parents Afternoon**  
Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> February

**Tennis Club**  
Friday Lunchtime

**Breakfast Club £3.50**  
Mon – Fri  
From 8am

**After school Clubs £2.50**  
Mon - Thurs  
3.30pm to 4.30pm

**Half Term Holiday**  
Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Feb – Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Feb  
(inclusive)

**Easter Holiday**  
Mon 7<sup>th</sup> Apr -Thur 17<sup>th</sup> Apr  
(inclusive)

**Bank Holidays**  
Fri 18<sup>th</sup> & Mon 21<sup>st</sup> April  
Inset Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> April

**Back to school:**  
Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> April

### **Weekly Theme**

Our theme for this week is being safe online as Tuesday is Safer Internet Day.

### Messages from the teachers

Mr Corbett, Mrs Hanigan, Mrs German and Mrs Flamir

The Juniors have completed their verses based on the Witches' Brew from Macbeth. These will be displayed in the classroom for all to read through. This week in English we will be reviewing non-fiction science books for the Royal Society's Young People's Book Prize. We will also be analysing and learning some poetry.

This week in Art, the children will be completing their own still life drawing using items which are personal to themselves. These will be displayed next half term

Mrs Unsworth & Mrs Harkin

This week the Early Years' are looking at the Three Little plgs story and have enjoyed acting it out this morning. After half-term we will be looking at Super-Heros The year 1s and 2s are learning about money in maths, please help with this at home as it is something that we don't tend to see or use much these days. In science we are talking about Windmills and we are hoping to make our own models..

Please continue to read at home with your child especially over the half term - hope you all have a great break!

### Celebration Corner:



#### **Birthdays**

Happy Birthday to Ella P and Hattie who will be celebrating their birthdays this week.

#### **Stars of the Week**

Well done to Ayla and Charlie who were our stars last week.

#### **Family Assembly**

This will be held each Friday @ 3.15pm

Children from a different year group will share some of the work they have enjoyed doing during the week.

This week, Year 4 children will be sharing their work.

All family and friends are welcome

### **Pupil Voice**

Pupil Voice are organising a Mother's Day Sale. We would be grateful of any unwanted Christmas gifts that you think would be suitable for a Mother's Day Gift please.

Also for World Book Day they are asking the children to make their own story box based on their favourite book, to be brought into school on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March